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DIED SUDDENLY
OF HEART DISEASE.

How frequently does a head line similar to the above greet us in the newspapers. The rush, push and strenuousness of the American people has a strong tendency to lead up to valvular and other affections of the heart, attended by irregular action, palpitation, dizziness, smothered sensations and other distressing symptoms.

Three of the prominent ingredients of which Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is made are recommended by some of the leading writers on *Materia Medica* for the cure of just such cases. Golden Seal root, for instance, is said by the UNITED STATES DISPENSATORY, a standard authority, "to impart tone and increased power to the heart's action." Numerous other leading authorities represent Golden Seal as an unsurpassed tonic for the muscular system in general, and as the heart is almost wholly composed of muscular tissue, it naturally follows that it must be greatly strengthened by this superb general tonic. But probably the most important ingredient of "Golden Medical Discovery," so far as its marvelous cures of valvular and other affections of the heart are concerned, is Stone root, or *Collinsonia Can.*, Prof. Wm. Paine, author of Paine's Epitomy of Medicine, says of it:

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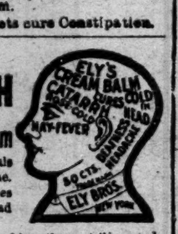
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Priest and Woman Found Dead.

The lifeless bodies of Father C. S. Quinn, formerly assistant pastor of St. Agnes Church, at Atlantic Highlands, N. J., and Miss Molly Bridget Kelley, until recently housekeeper at the St. Agnes parish house, were found in a room at a boarding house on east Eighteenth street, New York, yesterday. The room was filled with gas, which was escaping from a half open jet.

Michael J. Kelley identified the bodies at the morgue as that of his sister and Father Quinn. He said that his sister came to America recently from Ireland.

The couple engaged a room at the boarding house on Tuesday last. They returned in the evening, carrying several grips and satchels, and were not seen again until their bodies were discovered yesterday, when attention was drawn to their room by the odor of gas. The police found nothing in the room that would clearly indicate whether or not the case was one of suicide. Father Quinn was thirty-five years of age and the girl twenty-two.

When the coroner learned all the facts, he said he did not believe that death had been due to asphyxiation. Enough fresh air could have come in through the open window, he said, to have diluted the gas in the room enough to have prevented an explosion due to the flame in the gas jet. He did not think that the diluted gas would have been powerful enough to have caused death.

The coroner ordered an autopsy to be performed on the bodies today. He also will command that liquor be found in a glass in the room should be analyzed if the autopsy fails to develop conclusively the cause of death.

Among Quinn's effects was a letter from Bishop McFaul, of Trenton, in which Quinn was informed that he would be called upon to explain the withdrawal of church money from the bank at Atlantic Highlands without the permission of his superior.

According to Bishop McFaul, Father Charles Quinn, formerly of Atlantic Highlands, was not suspended from the priesthood by him. Father Quinn was not a priest of the Trenton diocese, but a substitute from another diocese, who was made use of during the summer. He was allowed to go recently when Father Carroll relieved him.

An Eventful Voyage

The British freight steamer St. George commanded by Capt. H. B. Sadler, arrived at Boston yesterday after it had escaped destruction by a typhoon, and later by fire, which broke out in the cargo of hemp.

The St. George left New York last June for Japan, laden with steel for the Japanese government. Since that time she had traveled 34,000 miles, and for the past 78 days she has been steaming almost continuously.

While the freighter was on her way from Kutsinotsu, Japan, to Cebu, a typhoon chased the vessel. It was the same disturbance that devastated the port of Hongkong. For a time it looked as if the vessel would be unable to escape, but just as the crew had abandoned hope the freighter steamed out of the grasp of the typhoon, which was shooting great columns skyward.

The St. George then proceeded to Manila, from which port she sailed on October 4 with a cargo of hemp. Sailing from Algiers on November 21 the steamer was out less than 24 hours when a brisk fire was discovered in No. 3 hold. Steam was injected into the compartment and the vessel headed for Gibraltar. Just when it was believed that the fire was subdued, flames broke out anew and were not extinguished until several hours after the steamer had reached Gibraltar.

Statement from Mrs. Adams.

Mrs. Annie Adams, mother of Maude Adams, the actress, made this statement and signed it before leaving New York for Washington yesterday afternoon:

"Before leaving for Washington I wish to make the statement which now seems necessary. Senator Brown and I were to have been married. When the news of the tragedy came I was expecting him to join me in New York. We had planned to go to Boston to see my daughter. The situation that has been revealed has been of such a nature that I feel I have no right to made known to the world that which he steadfastly refused to do."

Mrs. Anna Bradley, of Salt Lake City, was removed from the House of Detention in Washington yesterday afternoon, searched, provided with jail clothing and placed in cell No. 4 in the District jail.

The formal charge of murder has been made against her, a coroner's jury yesterday afternoon having ordered her held for the action of the grand jury, for the killing of former Senator Arthur Brown, of Utah.

It is probable that an indictment against Mrs. Bradley will be handed down before a week by the grand jury, which is now in session. Inasmuch as the calendar of the Criminal Court is filled to April 1, the prisoner may have to remain in jail until that time before she can face a jury.

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Woman Suffragists Arrested.

The female suffragists made another attempt yesterday evening to hold a meeting within the precincts of the British House of Commons, in London, and as a result five women and one man were arrested after an exciting fight with the police.

The gathering was arranged by the women workers of Manchester and east London, who assembled in strong force. The police were taken unawares, and some women got within the entrance to the House before their object was detected. When the police finally barred the entrances, the women tried to hold their meeting in the palace yard. A force of constables was then summoned to eject them. The women fought wildly, scratching and kicking the officers, but they were eventually compelled to give away. Those who persisted in resisting were carried screaming to the nearest police station. They were charged under the old law against attempting to hold a meeting within a mile of the House of Parliament while the Commons is in session.

Following The Flag.

When our soldiers went to Cuba and the Philippines, health was the most important consideration. Willis T. Morgan, retired Commissary Sergeant U. S. A., of Rural Route 1, Concord, N. H., says: "I was two years in Cuba and two years in the Philippines, and being subject to colds, I took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which kept me in perfect health. And now, in New Hampshire, we find it the best medicine in the world for coughs, colds, bronchial troubles and all lung diseases." Guaranteed at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, druggists. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.



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Leather Articles at Half Dollar—Pocketbooks, Card Cases, &c., main floor nearby Superintendent's desk.

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Novelties from Art Department at front of Notion Department, main floor.

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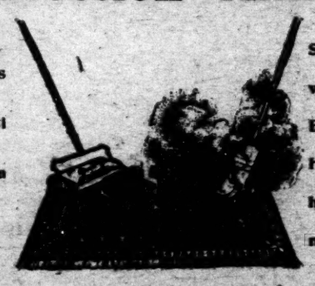
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W. F. Lambert, Cashier.
Carroll Pierce, Ass't Cashier.

Resources.

Loans,	$509,765 15
U. S. Bonds AT PAR,	125,000 00
Other bonds and stocks,	10,263 68
Banking House and Real Estate,	57,770 71
Cash and due from banks,	132,692 09
	$835,491 63

Liabilities.

Capital,	$100,000 00
Surplus and profits,	98,910 43
Circulation,	74,000 00
Deposits,	562,581 20
	$835,491 63

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SIC SEMPER TYRANNIS
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FRIDAY EVENING, DEC. 14, 1906.

EMPEROR WILLIAM of Germany has dissolved the Reichstag because that body has refused to obey him, and new elections have been ordered. The clericals, socialists, Poles and one wing of the radicals voted against the government's military plans for Southwest Africa. The Chancellor declares that the government will never yield any of its demands for troops in German Southwest Africa and a hot campaign is promised in January. Emperor William from the time he was crowned has made it plain to the fatherland as well as to the world at large that he intends to be king in every sense. Prince Bismarck was sidetracked as soon as William reached the throne, since which time the latter has manifested every instinct of an autocrat. The dissolution of the Reichstag is a bold movement, and is sure to cause a crisis in Germany. Possibly the king will be sustained by a popular vote, but should the returns affirm the action of the Reichstag he will receive a setback from which he will be long in convalescing. The military laws of Prussia were never popular with the masses, and Germans who have become naturalized in this country realize that in being exempt from serving years as soldiers they have opportunities to engage in business and accumulate wealth. Europe has long been an armed camp, and the fact that in most countries all males are compelled to serve years in the army has been the cause of chronic protests.

A DISPATCH from New York announces the suspension of the Daily News of that city after a career stretching over half a century. The Evening News was for many years the most extensively circulated newspaper in New York, and while in charge of the Woods was one of the most esteemed. It never reached the proportions of the other daily newspapers of the metropolis, but contained all the news in a condensed and readable form, and was intended for a large class of people who have neither the time nor inclination to ponder over the many pages which in this day compose most of the journals of the larger cities. The conservatism of the paper also appealed to what was at that time the majority of readers. But times have changed and people have changed with them. The sober and thoughtful readers are now in the minority, the larger number of those who purchase newspapers having developed an appetite for the sensational; hence comic supplements, pictures of actresses and other illustrations appeal to the masses more than sober productions. The day of solid reading is among the things of the past. The printing press is a blessing in some respects, but in this era of cheap publications the world is kept flooded with flimsy literature, and but few read standard books or conservative newspapers.

WITH TWO famines raging in Europe and Asia, one in the Russian interior and the other in the Chinese central province, the American branch of the Red Cross is considering the manner of appeal which will be made to this country in case it is deemed wise to furnish assistance. Some of the officers of the Red Cross believe that if aid is furnished, the sending of ship loads of corn and other food materials would be more substantial remembrance to the starving millions than a collection of cash such as was sent to Japan some months ago. It is pointed out that the tremendous corn crop in the west this year would justify the sending of a considerable quantity of the staple. Some cash contributions would be necessary if this plan were adopted to defray charter fees for steamships, but the amounts would be comparatively small. A dispatch from St. Petersburg in another column shows the terrible conditions now prevailing in portions of the Russian empire. Men have become brutes while enduring the pangs of hunger. Famines are unknown in this country, and blessed with full and plenty as it is, there will doubtless be generous contributions from our people.

THE PITTSBURG, PA., Chamber of Commerce has passed a resolution calling upon the newspapers of that city to cease printing accounts of divorce trials, and demanding that the judges of the county courts do their utmost to suppress the facts. This is believed by many to be a movement in the proper direction, as newspapers are often debauched by printing the evidence in the cases referred to. Years ago there was a divorce case in London in which men and women of noble birth were interested. The evidence was so disgusting that many papers in this country refused to print it.

ANTOINE CUSSIMANO, of Irvington, N. Y., complained of a pain in the chest and a doctor told him to take a porous plaster. Antoine bought one and ate it. Antoine cannot pronounce his last name today, but, it is believed, he is out of danger.

From Washington.

(Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.)

Washington, Dec. 14.

Secretary of the Treasury Leslie M. Shaw was today heard by the House committee on banking and currency in advocacy of the elastic currency proposition. The proposition he characterized as a "a buffer—a safety value" badly needed in the country's finances. As he believed, however, a tax of 5 or 6 per cent should be charged by the government for all currency issued by banks in lieu of the low tax proposed in the American bankers' plan. The great growth of our industry and our prosperity is our danger in a financial way, he explained, and therefore he couselled the committee that an elastic currency was an imperative necessity. "When we pray," he added with a twinkle in his eye, "we only need to ask God to protect from increased prosperity." He then explained that with an elastic currency prosperity couldn't come too fast.

In his annual report just made public Rear-Admiral N. E. Mason, Chief of the Bureau of Ordnance of the Navy Department, greatly deplores that the demand for armor plate at plesent is so small that there is a prospect of two of the three big armor manufacturers discontinuing its manufacture. An urgent recommendation is made by Admiral Mason that authority be granted for the adoption by the navy of the latest type of rifle, now in use by the army. He calls attention to the fact that the navy is still purchasing a type of small arm abandoned by the army. He reports the powder supply for the navy as satisfactory, and declares that numerous improvements have been made during the past year in the quality and form of the powder.

President Roosevelt is not at all downcast over the knockout of simplified spelling in Congress and is taking the jokes of his friends on the subject in good part. He has known for some time that the legislative branch of the government would "turn down" spelling reform just as soon as it could get a whack at it, so when the blow fell he did not even stagger a little bit. As a recent letter from the White House shows, the President still knows how to write very vigorously in the old style orthography so his return to the spelling of our dads will not put him to any inconvenience whatever.

Representative Garrett (democrat), of Tennessee, today introduced a bill in the House amending the railroad rate bill so as to permit newspapers to enter into contract with common carriers for advertising and to receive payment in transportation.

Representatives of capital and labor today were heard by the House committee on interstate and foreign commerce on the measure directing the President to appoint commissions to inquire into strikes and labor disputes.

Attorney General Moody announced after Cabinet meeting today, that he would qualify as associate justice of the Supreme Court of the United States next Monday and that the changes contingent upon the retirement from the Cabinet would take place at the same time.

Minister Graves sent a despatch to the State Department today from Stockholm, stating that the latest bulletin by the physicians attending King Oscar of Sweden report the patient's condition rather better. His temperature is 101.4, he sleeps easily and his appetite continues good.

The ship subsidy fight, by agreement today of the republican members of the House committee on merchant marine and fisheries, goes over until January 7, when a decisive vote is to be had in the committee. This action was taken when it was intimated that President Roosevelt will take a hand in the fight and will send a message to Congress immediately after the Christmas recess favoring the subsidy and demanding it as the one great achievement of the short session of Congress.

Senator Overman and Representative Patterson of North Carolina and Representative James S. Sherman called at the White House this morning to ask the President to attend the exercises at the celebration of the anniversary of the fall of Fort Fisher, on January 15th. The President said that he would like "mighty well" to attend, but public business would prevent.

Senator Martin has presented a petition of sundry citizens of Richmond, Va., praying for the enactment of legislation to restrict immigration. Senator Martin has also introduced the following bills; which were referred to the committee on claims; a bill for the relief of the trustees of the Union Presbyterian Church, of Cross Keys, Va.; for the relief of the trustees of the Baptist Church of Falls Church; for the relief of the trustees of Tabernacle Methodist Episcopal Church, of Culpeper county, for the relief of the trustees of the Presbyterian Church of Culpeper; for the relief of the trustees of Providence Church, of Culpeper county, and to remove from the estate of William J. Cussen, deceased, and from any real estate aliened by him during his lifetime, a cloud resting on the same by reason of a stale judgment of the United States of America, which was read twice by its title, and with the accompanying papers referred to the committee on the judiciary.

Mr. J. G. Hiden today presented in the House in Mr. Rixey's name the petition of the heirs of Brigadier General Daniel Ruggles, C. S. A., asking that their claim for reimbursement for property taken from General Ruggles in violation of the terms of surrender be referred to the court of claims for a finding of the facts; also a bill asking an increase of pension for Frank Schadler, of Middleburg, Loudoun county, a union veteran, who served in Co. D, 4th N. Y. regiment, and later in the U. S. navy in the war between the States. He was severely wounded at Antietam.

The government price for silver is steadily declining. The director of the mint today brought 100,000 ounces at 68.763 cents an ounce for delivery at Denver, half a cent lower than the last purchase.

It was officially announced at the White House this afternoon that if Congress should pass the resolution disapproving simplified spelling, the President would at once issue an executive order discontinuing it in the printing of public documents. He would, however, still use it in his personal and private correspondence.

John A. Kratz, jr., formerly of Richmond, Va., has been appointed special assistant to the Attorney General. He has been holding the position of private Secretary to Attorney General Moody. He is a graduate of Georgetown University Law School.

News of the Day.

The condition of the Shah of Persia took a decided turn for the worse yesterday. He lost consciousness at an early hour and at 7:20 p. m. was still unconscious. His majesty's condition is now regarded as being more critical than at any time since his illness became really serious.

As a result of Bishop O'Connell's mission to Japan, the Vatican will shortly establish a Catholic University at Tokyo. It will be controlled by Jesuits of the American province. The appointment of an apostolic delegate to Japan is imminent. It is said that he will be an American prelate.

A throng of hundreds, horror-stricken but powerless to aid, watched Mat Krueger, a lineman for the Commonwealth Electric Company, slowly burn to death in midair, in the heart of the south side business district of Chicago late yesterday afternoon. The unfortunate man had taken hold of a live wire.

Mrs. Amelia Fossom, thirty years old, living on South Dakota avenue, Woodridge, near Washington, met a tragic death last night, while at the home of her mother, Mrs. George J. Freitag, of Langdon, D. C., by swallowing a quantity of carbolic acid from a bottle which she supposed contained brandy.

Prof. Henry Fairfield Osborn, of Columbia University, is unable to accept the position of Secretary of the Smithsonian Institution, to which he was elected at a meeting of the board of regents, December 4. Prof. Osborn writes his decision, which will be read to the board at its annual meeting, January 23.

It is officially stated in London that no definite determination has yet been reached concerning the appointment of an ambassador at Washington to succeed Sir Mortimer Durand, but the revival of James Bryce's name as a likely tenant of the post meets with much more general credence that when it was first mooted.

Considerable alarm was occasioned the Swedish people yesterday by a statement that King Oscar was seriously ill, that all the members of the royal family had assembled at the palace at Stockholm, and that the crown prince Gustavus Adolphus, had been summoned hurriedly from Berlin. The king is suffering from heart trouble.

It has developed in Richmond that four of the republican candidates in the last congressional election in Virginia—Hughes, of Norfolk; Hansom, of Richmond; Beecher, of Albermarle, and Henderson, of Alexandria—are liable to the penalty of the Barksdale pure election law for not filing accounts of their election expenses. The maxium punishment is a fine of $5,000.

The Italian Mafia Society, which has transferred its operations from Italy to New York city, and which, under the guise of the "Black Hand," has seven murders in three days directly chargeable to it, attempted to wreck a crowded tenement at 502 First avenue shortly after 1 o'clock yesterday morning, with the result that twenty persons were hurt but, fortunately, none seriously.

The possibility of Congressman W. A. Jones coming out as a candidate for the democratic nomination for Governor of Virginia is being discussed by many of his friends. It is said that Commonwealth's Attorney Joseph W. Chinn, jr., of Richmond county, will oppose Judge T. R. B. Wright, of Tappahannock, for judge of the Twelfth judicial circuit before the next legislature.

Two trainmen were killed, one was fatally injured, and three passengers were hurt last night, when a fast freight train crashed into the rear of a west-bound passenger train on the New York, Chicago and St. Louis Railroad. The passenger train had stopped to take water, and a flagman was sent back to signal following trains, but owing to a dense fog the engineer of the freight did not see the signal.

The President has abandoned simplified spelliog in official documents. An executive order, to be issued today probably, will restore the old condition of affairs. At a conference at the White House yesterday afternoon, Mr. Roosevelt informed Representative Landis, chairman of the House committee on printing, that he would issue an order revoking his previous order regarding simplified spelling if the House should place itself on record as in favor of the old spelling for executive documents.

W. K. Vanderbilt jr., had a narrow escape from death yesterday. With his chauffeur he was speeding his 60-horse-power racing automobile on the shore of Lake Success, Long Island, when the front axle snapped and the car skidded a zigzag course. A moment later a wheel became detached, the body of the car struck the ground and tore up the the road for 15 feet or more. The jar hurled Mr. Vanderbilt from his seat over the machine into the lake well away from the shore. He sank through the thin ice, but rose immediately and swam to shore. The chauffeur clung to his seat and was not seriously injured.

Three persons were burned to death and one is dying in a hospital at Wheeling, W. Va., as a result of accidents in neighboring communities Wednesday night. At New Martinsville, by the explosion of a can of gasoline, Frank Garber, the proprietor of a dyeing establishment, was burned to death, and his wife is now in a hospital suffering from burns that will cause her death. At Wellsburg Russell Lucas, the 1-year-old son of Roy Lucas, reached for a pair of mittens drying before an open fire. His clothing caught fire causing injuries from which he died At West Liberty Mrs. Mollie Payne, 69 years old, wife of a prominent farmer, was standing in front of an open fire, when her clothing became ignited, and she was so seriously burned that she died soon after.

Half a million dollars is the amount which Mrs. William Thaw expects to spend to clear her son, Harry Kendall Thaw, of the charge of murdering Stanford White, according to a statement which she is said to have made to an intimate friend during her recent visit to New York. During the course of a long talk with her friend Mrs. Thaw said that she estimated that the counsel fees would amount to $250,000, and that close to $75,000 would be spent Pittsburg in connection with the case, the balance of 175,000 covering the expenses in New York and other places. "While I am prepared to spend the last dollar I have in defense of Harry, I do not think the trial will cost me more than $500,000," is the statement which Mrs. Thaw made.

The Market.

Georgetown, Dec. 14.—Wheat 65a74.

Virginia News.

Mrs. Jane E. Swain, aged 86 years, died at the home of her son-in-law, Mr. C. H. Powell, at Falls Church, Wednesday night.

William H. White, the Norfolk lawyer, to whom has been offered the presidency of the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad, is still uncertain whether or not he will accept the position. It is the belief in railway circles that he will ultimately accept.

The Newport News Shipbuilding & Dry Dock Company has been awarded a contract by the Isthmian Canal Commission for the construction of two steel suction dredges to be used in the building of the Panama canal. The vessels will cost in the neighborhood of $200,000 each.

Jesse Silverthorn and his son, Carroll, oystermen of Aurora, N. C., were frozen to death while clinging to the bottom of their sloop, which was capsized by a gale in Pamlico sound Tuesday morning. The bodies were found by the Philadelphia tug Prudence and carried to Washington, N. C.

The postoffice and general merchandise store of James E. Walter, at Linden, Warren county, was entered by burglars early yesterday morning and several hundred dollars stolen. The safe was blown open with dynamite. Before the people in the neighborhood was awakened the robbers made their escape.

The coroner's investigation of the wreck on the Southern at Danville, on the morning of the 8th of December, was held in Danville yesterday. Commissioner H. C. Stuart was present, representing the Corporation Commission. The coroner's jury returned the following vordict: "We, the jury, find George C. Kinney and W. B. King came to their death in the Danville yards of the Southern Railway, caused by passenger train No. 34 colliding with rear end of freight train No. 82, and also caused by incompetent employes of the Southern Railway Company, or carelessness on the part of the management of the Southern Railway system somewhere."

STATEMENT FROM CARDINAL GIBBONS.

Cardinal Gibbons gave out a statement in Baltimore last night in which he strongly denounced the movement against the Catholic Church in France by the French government. He says that the treatment of the bishops, priests and nuns in that country is an outrage.

The Cardinal has taken a keen interest in the difficulties for some time, and not long since he sent a message of sympathy to the French Catholics, through Cardinal Richard, and in return the latter transmitted to Cardinal Gibbons a letter which expressed the respectful and affectionate gratitude of the French Catholics for sympathies in the midst of their sad experiences.

Cardinal Gibbons in his statement reviews the situation and the matters which have caused the present crisis, and says: "I am weighing my words and I say with deliberate conviction that the leaders of the present French government are actuated by nothing less than hatred of religion. It is not separation alone, therefore, that the Holy Father is repudiating, but tyranny in the guise of separation.

"Perhaps the feature of the situation that will surprise us most and call for our just indignation as Americans is the French government's absolute disregard for the property rights of the church. She has been despoiled of the salaries granted to the ministers of religion as a compensation for the funds which the church relinquished under that express condition. In addition, the law of separation entirely ignores the constitution and laws of the church—a situation which has no parallel in our American method of keeping church and State separate. Should the church accept the present law she has before her the very likely prospect of gradual extinction by due process of law. If the separation of church and State in France meant just what it means in the United States there would have been no such hue and cry raised against it. France has treated her noblest citizens with injustice and inhumanity, and America, which has sympathy for the oppressed of all nations, has raised no protest nor uttered a word of sympathy. Our own press has been to a considerable extent the reflex of the Parisian anti-clerical press. I have too much confidence in God and his protection of the church not to feel encouraged to look for a renewal of faith and religion in France. We need only to leave it to an impartial and liberty-loving people to decide which party is responsible for the present miserable condition."

School Book Investigation.

The schoolbook investigating committee in Richmond yesterday morning continued the investigation regarding the prices of school books in Virginia as compared with the prices paid for the same books by other States. Capt. John T. West, of Norfolk county, who was examined Wednesday, was recalled and re-examined.

The investigation thus far has shown that Virginia is paying more for school books than any other State in the Union with the exception of Utah and Montana.

Mr. Bowles, of Staunton, testified that the change in the list of books would cost the State $400,000 the first year. Upon being asked why the board had continually changed books within recent years, he said he considered the changes were wise. Mr. Bowles said that the question of economy had been considered.

Chairman Byrd declares that Virginia is paying $250,000 too much for her books. It was shown that Virginia and North Carolina use a similiar geography, Virginia paying $1.15 for the book and North Carolina paying 88 cents.

Dr. Charles W. Kent, of the University of Virginia, and Hon. A. J. Montague, former governor of Virginia, were also examined.

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Today's Telegraphic News

The Dora Gilman Murder.

Dayton, O., Dec. 14.—Collins Gilman, brother of Dora Gilman, the beautiful young woman whose shocking murder and assault a few weeks ago, stirred the entire State, was today taken before Magistrate Wagner to answer in a preliminary hearing to a charge of having been an accomplice in his own sister's murder. David Curtis, an alleged degenerate, the self-confessed perpetrator of the crime is now under arrest.

At no time since the mutilated and outraged body of Dora Gilman was found half hidden in the weeds of a common near her home on Thursday, November 22 has the mystery of her death been so deep as it is today. This notwithstanding the fact that one man is under arrest, her self-confessed slayer, and two other people are charged with being accomplices. Investigation has shown such a wide discrepancy in the statements of Curtis, the alleged degenerate who confessed to murdering and assaulting the girl that doubt has been cast upon his story.

Additional excitement was furnished today by the report that another arrest would be made upon the theory that the girl died as a result of a criminal operation, even in the face of the testimony of 13 doctors, all of whom had attended the post mortem examination and agreed that no operation had been performed. The new theory is that the marks on the body which suggested the work of a degenerate were made for a blind.

Famine Riots in Russia.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 14.—One hundred thousand peasants in the provinces of Russia, made desperate by their terrible sufferings in the famine now prevailing throughout the country, have become brutalized to a point almost beyond belief. They are living like beasts and seem to be stirred by only one impulse, to wreak all the destruction within their power. Terrible famine riots have occurred in the Samara and Simbirsk provinces, where the famished peasants have made raids on estates of land owners. In seven instances so far reported, starving hordes killed the landlords and their entire families, hacking the bodies of their victims to pieces with axes, spades and other implements. Troops sent into the districts have been unable to restore order. Valuable buildings have been fired in numerous instances and the estimated value of property destroyed is $10,000,000.

The Dissolution of the Reichstag.

Berlin, Dec. 14.—A contest between the Kaiser and people overshadowing the Russian convulsions will result from the dispute between Emperor William and the Reichstag, is the prediction of political prophets prognosticating on the outcome of the new elections.

The forecasters assert the anti-government majority in the next Reichstag will be stronger than in the one just dissolved.

The opposition will obstruct the Kaiser step by step, bringing on a dead lock in all departments.

Yesterday's dissolution, it is claimed, is only the first step in the coming upheaval which some think will bring absolutism to an end.

Judge a Relative.

Hazelhurst, Miss., Dec. 14.—It has been discovered that Judge Miller, who presided at the trial of Mrs. Angie Birdsong, married a cousin of Dr. Butler, the man she shot and killed. Her chief counsel, R. N. Miller, will use this fact as an additional plea before the Supreme Court which will be asked first to admit her to bail and then to nullify the whole trial. The relationship by marriage of the trial judge to the deceased physician has just been brought out and creates a situation heretofore unknown in trial annals of the State.

Assumed Regency.

Stockholm, Sweden, Dec. 14.—Crown Prince Gustavus arrived here today from Berlin having been summoned home on account of the serious illness of King Oscar II, and at once assumed the regency. He will continue to act in this capacity during the King's illness. Some improvement in the King's condition was announced today. A bulletin stated he passed a quiet night. His temperature is better and his general condition satisfactory.

Tunnel to be Completed today.

New York, Dec. 14.—The tunnel between New York and Brooklyn will be completed today. Working like mad under the East river are two gangs of men each striving for the honor of passing a man through the slight wall that now separates the two sections of the tube. The tube will connect the Manhattan subway with the Brooklyn subway, which is now under construction.

A Long Walk.

Boston, Dec. 14 —Henry McHenry, aged 80, a veteran of the United States navy, arrived here after walking all the way across New York and Massachusetts. McHenry was returning from Milwaukee, where he went to bury his sister, and was robbed in Buffalo. Being unwilling to ask aid he started to walk to his home in Abington, Mass. He declares the jaunt has done him good.

Steamer Ashore.

New York, Dec. 14.—The freight steamer Clara, bound from Trieste to this city, is high and dry on the shoals at Barnegat Bay. The ship went ashore today in the thick weather. The life savers are prepared to take the crew off if the sea gets smoother.

Heavy Christmas Mail.

New York. Dec. 14.—The heaviest Christmas mail that has ever crossed the Atlantic is coming on the White Star liner Majestic which is carrying 4,568 sacks of mail. This is a record breaking shipment of mail.

Burned to Death.

Taunton, Mass., Dec. 14.—Mrs. Ida Towne, 22 years old, was burned to death and her child of two years, fatally scorched, today. A low fire near an empty kerosene can with the bottom blown out, told the story of the tragedy.

Accident to General Nogi.

Tokio, Dec. 14.—General Nogi, the hero of Port Arthur, is at his home today in a serious condition, from injuries received by being thrown from his horse. It is feared he is fatally hurt.

Cascasweet, the ideal medicine for the little ones. Contains no opiates. Conforms fully with National Pure Food and Drug Law. Write E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago, Ill., for the "Baby Book." Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co., 401 King street.

The Transfer of Ambassador White.

Rome, Dec. 14.—Enmity of the Italian government and the hostility of society leaders, aroused in his effort to uphold the purity of American womanhood, were directly responsible for the transfer of Ambassador Henry White from Rome to the French embassy, according to a story now circulating here. Mr. White declined to admit several notorious women in Rome society to the embassy. This is said to have led to complications which made him persona non grata with the Italian government, according to the Italian custom, the court marshal submitted to the new Ambassador a list of persons the government desired invited to the receptions at the embassy. On this list was the "Princess N." who, although she has not been separated from her husband, is said to be the Italian counterpart of the Princess Chimay. Mr. White blue pencilled her name and returned the list with the intimation that he did not want such a woman to meet his wife and daughter. This incident caused a great furore. Great pressure was brought to bear on the ambassador to change his decision, but he remained firm. Several other similar instances occurred leading Roman society to practically boycott the American embassy. By transferring Ambassador White from Rome to the more important post in Paris, President Roosevelt is regarded here as having only emphasized Mr. White's blow at Chimayism, and there is considerable feeling in Rome on the subject.

Enforcing Separation Law.

Paris, Dec. 14.—Measures for enforcing the separation law were considered by the council of ministers today without a decision being reached.

The cabinet after discussion compromised by allowing the Catholics to benefit by the 1901 law authorizing societies of a non-political character to hold religious services.

To offset this suggested means of compromise the ministers advocated rigorous application for the liquidation of church property including the bishoprics and rectories.

The watch established on churches yesterday to discover violations of the law in holding unauthorized services was continued today. Priests found violating the law were arrested.

Another Spill in Six-Day Race.

New York, Dec., 14.—Eight riders and a woman spectator were hurt in a spill this morning in the six-day race. The contest was stopped for an hour. Vanderstuft was hurled from his wheel into a box, his head striking against the rail and his body striking a woman. Seven other riders rolled down the steep embankment. The box rail was smashed by Vanderstuft's head. Both the rider and woman were picked up unconscious. Vanderstuft was found to have a badly cuthead. He joined the races later.

Mrs. Gillette Calls Upon Her Son.

Auburn, N. Y., Dec. 14.—The mother of Chester Gillette, awaiting execution for the murder of Grace Brown, called upon her son in prison today. Mrs. Gillette arrived here last night but was not permitted to see Gillette until today. Mrs. Gillette says she will stay here until her son is free. Hazel Gillette, sister of Chester, will arrive here tomorrow.

Secured Control of the Big Greene Mine

New York, Dec. 14.—The Amalgamated Copper Company has secured control of the big Greene Consolidated Copper Company of Mexico. The deal will be announced late today. With the copper trust in control of the Greene mines, the production of copper is in virtual control of the Rockefeller and Rogers interests in this country.

Will Issue Preferred Stock.

New York, Dec. 14.—The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad will issue $75,000,000 of preferred stock to its stockholders at par, according to a well informed interest in Wall street. The stock will provide a rich melon for St. Paul stockholders. It is understood the stock will be issued between now and the first of the year.

Long Ride.

Annapolis, Md., Dec. 14—Frank Macbeth, of Pottsville, Pa., who will visit every state capital on horseback, to win a $20,000 wager, left here today after calling upon Governor Warfield. He will visit Washington, today, and call upon President Roosevelt. Mr. Macbeth leaves for a tour of the southern States tomorrow.

Vigilance Committees in New York.

New York, Dec. 14—Vigilance committees in a suburb of New York city are a trifle odd to say the least, but they are actually being maintained. Recently burglars became so bold as to create a reign of terror in The Bronx. Last night a volunteer force took the field, the members promising to do what the police have failed to do about the second story workers and jimmy artists. A half hundred of the amateur cops were on duty last night and today are cheesy over the fact that not a single burglary was reported last night.

To Hold Post Mortem Examination.

New York, Dec. 14.—Coronor Acritelli will hold a post mortem examination late today on the bodies of the Rev. Father Charles S. Quinn, the Catholic priest of Atlantic Highlands, N. J., and the woman, who were found dead in a room on East Eighteenth street, last night. Every indication today opposes the theory that the couple committed suicide. Michael Kiley claimed the body of the woman early today. He said she was Bridget Kiley, his sister.

Entombed Miner.

Bakersfield, Cala., Nov. 4.—L. B. Hicks, the miner buried under sixty feet of debris, who has been taking his food through a pipe, is today near collapse under the strain of the long confinement and his cramped position. It now seems that Hicks cannot possible be dug out until Sunday, as the rescuers still have forty feet to go. The man is lying on his side stretched out beside a car and almost under its wheels. He is unable to move.

Deadly Serpent Bites

are as common in India as are the stomach and liver disorders with us. For the latter however there is a sure remedy: Electric Bitters; the great restorative medicine, of which S. A. Brown, of Bennettsville, S. C., says: "They restored my wife to perfect health, after years of suffering with dyspepsia and a chronic sluggish liver." Electric Bitters cures chills and fever, malaria, biliousness, lame back, kidney troubles and bladder disorders. Sold on guarantee by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, druggists. Price 50c.

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The voice we loved is still;
A place is vacant in our hearts
That never can be filled.

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Dearest Edward, thou has left us,
We thy loss most deeply feel;
But 'tis God that hath bereft us,
He will all our sorrows heal.

BY HIS FATHER AND MOTHER.

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Dress Lengths of 42-inch All-wool Batiste and Nun's Veiling, 3 yards to the pattern. Worth $4.00. Entire pattern, $2.98.

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Dress Lengths of All-wool French Crepe, 8 yards to the pattern. These are worth fully $6.00. Entire pattern for $3.95.

Venetian Cloth, 49c.

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SENATE.

The Senate was not in session today, having adjourned yesterday until Monday.

HOUSE.

After the House today finished the reading of the legislative appropriation bill, Representative Littauer (republican), New York, introduced an amendment that the salaries of the Vice President and of the Speaker of the House be increased from $8,000 to $12,000.

Hoping to finish today the legislative appropriation bill, the House immediately after meeting today went into committee of the whole to further consider this bill.

By a rising vote of 204 to 60, members of the Cabinet were then voted a $12,000 salary from March 4 next.

Mr. Webber, of Ohio, was the only opposing republican. Again the opposition failed to secure a record vote. Advocating the proposition, Representative Littauer, of New York, said that a baseball president was worth $15,000 a year, therefore a Cabinet member was worth $12,000.

The "final" amendment an increase—of $2,500 yearly in the members salary—was then offered by Mr. Littauer. The increase does away with the present mileage system—20 cents for each mile traveled by members to and from Washington—and allows only actual traveling expenses.

A dispute arose as to the time the increase should go into effect. A half hour's debate was then indulged in to settle the question.

By a rising vote of 214 to 51, the House agreed to an amendment to the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill increasing the salary of Vice President and Speaker of the House to $12,000 a year, beginning March 4 next. Two republicans, Lacey of Iowa and Webber of Ohio, voted with 49 democrats in opposition. The minority on the proposition were insufficient in numbers to secure a record vote.

Tumble in Northern Pacific.

While circulars offering to Northern Pacific stockholders rights to subscribe at par for $93,000,000 new capital stock were in the hands of the printer in New York yesterday, Northern Pacific stock tumbled as it has not tumbled since May, 1901. Great Northern, its companion in the Great Northwest melon issue, also went over the rapids. Northern Pacific closed at 207¾, a net loss of 11¼ points for the day. Great Northern, which closed at 209, sustained an even harder fall, with a net loss of 14½ points for the day, and an even 21 for two days. Great Northern ore certificates and Great Northern rights fell heavily in the almost panicky break in the major issues.

In the trading prior to the last hour a score of stories were circulated, some explaining, some tending to accelerate the decline. The break of the last hour was to the accompaniment of a dispatch from St. Paul stating that the Attorney General of Minnesota held the proposed increase of $60,000,000 in Great Northern stock to be invalid without the State's consent to it.

Southern's Vice President.

President Finley, of the Southern Raliway, went to New York yesterday. He will be gone several days, and the impression prevails in railroad circles that when he comes back the new second vice president of the road will have been decided upon, subject to the ratification of the board of directors.

Third Vice President J. M. Culp is most spoken of as President Finley's successor, but it is said that several men not now connected with the road are being considered.

It is said the selection of the second vice president will be influenced mainly by J. P. Morgan. Rumor has it that Mr. Morgan had the president of another railroad system in view for the Southern's new executive, who is regarded as one of the railroad men of the country closest to the great financier.

The body of ex-Senator Brown, left Washington on the Pennsylvania road at 12:01 this afternoon accompanied by his son and daughter, en route to Utah, where the burial will take place.

Mrs. Catarina Uzzo died last night at the Delaware Hospital, at Wilmington, Del., as a result of being shot by her husband on Saturday night last in their bedroom.

An engineer and brakeman were killed and ten passengers were injured in a collision at Hopkins Point, one mile from Mentor, Ohio, on the Nickel Plate road last night.

The Shah's Condition.

London, Dec. 14.—After remaining serious for five hours the Shah of Persia today reported to be in the most serious condition since his recent illness. It is believed that he will [illegible] is practically

Alexandria Gazette

FRIDAY EVENING, DEC. 14, 1906.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 7:12 a. m. and sets at 4:39 p. m. High water at 6:39 a. m. and 7:03 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section unsettled weather tonight and Saturday; occasional rain; light variable winds.

Public School Appropriations.

There was published in Monday's Gazette the apportionment of school funds from State revenues. Alexandria receives a total of $8,838.95. Last year the amount was $7,339.08, so the increase is $1,499.87. For the year 1904-05 Alexandria city made an appropriation of $13,800 and the next year 1905-06 increased it to $14,300. Last May in reporting the annual appropriation bill it was stated in explaining a reduction of the city's appropriation to $10,000 that it was expected that the State would make an increase in its apportionment, and Council and the School Board were assured that the finance committee would recommend additional appropriations to make the amount equal that of the year 1905-06. That is that as Council appropriated $14,300 and the State $7,339.08, or a total of $21,639.08 for the year 1905-06, it would see that for the next year the School Board would receive an equal amount, which it was urged was sufficient to operate the schools. The extra appropriation from the State is about $1,500, much less than was expected. The city will have to make up the the difference, of about $2,800, which is thus explained. Regular appropriation $10,000, extra $2,800, State, $8,838.95. Total, $21,688.95.

Concert Tonight.

All the preparations for the concert to be given tonight at the Opera House have been made, and an enjoyable evening is assured all who may attend. The entertainment will be for the benefit of St. Mary's parsonage. Miss Irene A. Dieterich will take part in the concert. She will be assisted by Miss Olive Demarest, of Washington. The Musical Courier of New York, recently had the following to say concerning Miss Dieterich: "Irene Dieterich is the young lady, who, on her return from Europe, where she had been studying for a number of years, made such a sensation at the Saengerbund Club Concerts. Miss Dieterich has since been heard at the Congressional Library. She has an unusually sweet lyric soprano. The singer has been studying in the Stuttgart Conservatory, where she passed a brilliant examination and went at once to Prof. Freytag, in singing, and Max Pauer, for piano. She plays her own accompaniments, is au fait to audiences, gracious and dashing; dramatic also."

Death of a Prisoner.

Emmett Jones, who was sent on to the grand jury by Justice Caton in the Police Court yesterday morning, on the charge of breaking into the saloon of A. J. Deavers & Co., and stealing whisky and money on Tuesday night, became suddenly ill in the city jail about 9 o'clock last night, and died at the Alexandria Hospital about an hour later. Jones was about twenty-eight years old, and was a carpenter by occupation. He was a native of Fredericksburg, but had resided in this city since he was a boy In the Police Court yesterday morning he declined to make a statement but Officers Beach and Lyles say that he subsequently confessed, and said he was under the influence of liquor at the time of the burglary. It was at first supposed that Jones had swallowed poison, and Dr. Gibson, the jail physician, was summoned. The doctor, after examining Jones, thought he was a victim of acute kidney disease and was suffering from uræmic convulsions.

Auction Sales Tomorrow.

Mr. Samuel H. Lunt, auctioneer, will sell at public auction at noon tomorrow in front of the Royal street entrance to the City Hall the following property:

A tenement and lot of ground on the west side of Henry street, near Prince.

A lot of ground and improvements thereon, on the east side of Fayette street, between King and Prince streets.

A lot of ground and improvements on the east sipe of Fayette street, adjoining the above.

A lot of ground on the east side of West street with a dwelling house and improvements thereon.

A frame house and lot on the east side of West street, near Queen.

A house and lot adjoining the above on the south.

Turkeys and Eggs.

Turkeys and eggs, indispensable at the holiday season, will, it is said, be obtained at more reasonable prices than those which have recently prevailed.

Present indications are that there will be an abundance of turkeys for the Christmas trade, at a price that will put them in the reach of almost every one. The weather conditions being favorable for their shipment and preservation, the large number held back by the farmers in the country, in anticipation of the Christmas demand, and the large supply on hand warrant the assertion that during the next ten days the price will advance but a fraction.

Eggs have fallen in Baltimore from 40 cents a dozen to 26 cents.

Death of E. L. Tolson.

Mr. E. Lawrence Tolson, a member of the firm of Brown & Tolson, auctioneers, of Washington, died yesterday at his home in that city. The cause of Mr. Tolson's death was a complication of diseases, from which he had long suffered. Mr. Tolson was fifty-seven years of age. The deceased was a native of Maryland, having been born at Seven Oaks, in 1849. He was a brother of Mr. Zeph English. Mr. Tolson was married twice, and he leaves five children. Mr. Tolson when a youth was a clerk in the commission house of the late Issac Paul in this city, and shortly after the civil war conducted business in his own name in Alexandria.

Fatally Burned.

Edward M. Redman, about 45 years of age, of Brickhaven, Alexandria county, was taken to the Emergency Hospital in Washington this morning suffering from burns received by throwing gasoline in a coal fire. There is said to be no chance of his recovery. Wiley Gaines, colored, who was with Redman, was painfully burned.

Personal.

Mrs. H. C. Ansley, who has been quite sick for some time past, is said to be convalescing.

Mr. Wm. H. Kulp, of Lynchburg, who has been in this city on business for several days past, returned to his home in that city today.

Mr. Robert C. Wightman, of Edinburg, has moved to this city where he will make his future home.

The Misses Evans, of Detroit, Michigan, daugters of Mr. Ed. H. Evans, are visiting their grandmother, Mrs. E. J. Evans, 322 south St. Asaph street.

The Misses Virginia and Mildred Evans, of Richmond, are the guests of their aunt, Mrs. Raymond Hulfish, on south St. Asaph street.

Delegate James R. Caton, who was appointed by the Legislature as a member of the committee to present the $5,000 silver service to the battleship Virginia, left today, accompanied by Mrs. Caton, for Richmond. The presentation ceremony will take place tomorrow at Newport News.

Reception to Grand Master.

Joppa Lodge, No. 40, A., F. and A. M., of Richmond, held a notable meeting last night at the Masonic Temple to greet Grand Master Kosciusko Kemper, of this city, head of the grand jurisdiction of Virginia, on the occasion of his first visit to a Richmond lodge. The address of welcome on behalf of the entertaining lodge was made by Worshipful J. G. Hankins, and other prominent Masons made speeches. The installation of officers of the lodge was conducted by Grand Master Kemper. Just previous to retiring to the dining room, Most Worshipful Grand Master A. R. Courtney spoke in highly complimentary terms of the meeting, which he declared marked an epoch in Masonry in Richmond. A response was made by Grand Master Kemper which was appropriate and contained a vein of humor. After the dinner addresses were made by a number of guests and members.

I. O. R. M.

At a regular meeting of Osceola Tribe, No. 1, I. O. R. M., held last night, the following named officers were elected to serve through the ensuing term: Sachem, Jos. B. Ewald; senior sagamore, Y. C. Minton; junior sagamore, H. M. Mays; prophet, A. J. Butcher; chief of records, C. Nagel; collector of wampum, E. F. Downham; keeper of wampum, Fred Kaus; representative to Great Council of Virginia, John A. Ewald; trustees, John A. Ewald, B. F. Bettis and W. A. Ferguson. Slight fractional differences that have cropped out at intervals among members of the tribe during the past year were all amicably adjusted and the tomahawk buried, whereupon it was determined to assemble around a camp fire at a future date and smoke the calumet, or pipe of peace.

Tugboat and Barge Depart.

The tugboat Major Brewerton and the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad barge which have been used in the transfer of freight cars between this city and Shepherd's for the past third of a century, left this morning, the tugboat being bound for Baltimore and the barge for Norfolk, where it will be used in transferring Southern Railway cars at Pinner's Point. The Brewerton will tow the barge to the mouth of the Potomac, where a tugboat from Norfolk will take it in charge. The Brewerton with them proceed to Baltimore where she will undergo an overhauling. After having been placed in good condition, the tugboat will be taken to Philadelphia, where she will be used in the transfer service.

Basketball.

The basketball game at Schuler's Hall last night between the Southern Railway team, of Washington, and a team of the Athletic Association, of this city, attracted a large number of spectators. The game, which was of a tame and uninteresting nature, was easily won by the Alexandrians by a score of 35 to 4. After the game dancing was participated in by those present.

The Alexandria Athletic Association will play the strong St. Peters team of Washington tomorrow night at Schuler's Hall at 8:30. The game will be followed by a private dance by members of both clubs and their friends. Ladies are cordially invited to attend.

Hibernians.

A largely attended meeting of Alexandria Division, No. 1, A. O. H., was held last night in St. Mary's Hall. The following officers, to be installed at the first meeting in January, were elected: President, J. T. Sweeney; vice president, James Roche; treasurer, Wm. H. Sweeney; financial secretary, F. T. Quinn; recording secretary, Lyons H. Dolan; chaplain, Rev. H. J. Cutler; sergeant-at-arms, Wm. Creegan; standing committee, T. D. Downey, Zoro Hill, M. Creegan, J. B. Fitzgerald and M. J. McFarland.

Tribute of Respect.

Today is the 107th anniversary of the death of George Washington, and, according to custom, the usual Masonic tribute of respect to his memory was paid by Alexandria-Washington Lodge of this city and Fredericksburg Lodge. Mr. M. L. Price, of the former lodge, and Mr. H. H. Johnson, of the Fredericksburg Lodge, visited Mount Vernon and placed wreathes upon the tomb of the illustrious deceased.

Change of Freight Depot.

As will be seen by a notice elsewhere in the Gazette, the local freight depot of the Washington-Southern Railway will be temporarily transferred on Monday, Dec. 31, from the building at the new union depot to Cameron and Henry streets, where local freight will be delivered until further notice.

An Alarming Situation

frequently results from neglect of clogged bowels and torpid liver, until constipation becomes chronic. This condition is unknown to those who use Dr. King's New Life Pills; the best and gentlest regulators of Stomach and Bowels. Guaranteed by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, druggist. Price 25c.

E. C. DeWitt & Co., of Chicago, at whose labatory Kodol is prepared, assure us that this remarkable digestant and corrective for the stomach conforms fully to all provisions of the National Pure Food and Drug Law. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co., 401 King street.

Bloodheim & Swift's "hot as blazes" prepared horseradish is strickly pure and unadulterated in every respect. Try a bottle.

FRESH COUNTRY EGGS.

Just received a very large shipment of fresh country eggs for Christmas baking, which we are selling at 36c per dozen.

dec13 2t* C. F. ENTWISLE.

Choice YARMOUTH BLOATERS, just received by J. C. MILBURN.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The regular monthly meeting of the Relief Hook and Ladder Company will be held tonight.

Mrs. Hattie Posey, wife of Mr. Thos. Posey, died yesterday evening at her home, 608 south Patrick street. She was a daughter of Sanford Fair.

Three boys from this city were arrested in the Potomac yards, north of this city, last night, by railroad detectives, charged with taking candy from cars. They were released with an admonition after having been detained for some time.

Mr. Phillips, living near Hunter's station, reported to Lieutenant Smith today that his house was entered last night and an openface gold watch, some silverware, shoes, etc. stolen.

Mr. H. Bloch, 615 King street, is prepared to supply the holiday trade with confectionaries, cakes etc., to suit the most fastidious. His advertisement appears in another column.

Mr. J. M. Pettit, jr., has for sale at 717 King street a fine variety of Florida oranges and fine well-flavored apples, which have been selected for the holiday trade.

At the regular semi-annual meeting of the directors of the Alexandria National Bank, held yesterday evening, a dividend of two per cent. was declared.

W. A. Smoot & Co. today consigned to Occoquan a stone crusher and other machinery for the Occoquan Stone & Lumber Co.

The M Schuler Beef Company has a large stock of fine poultry and eggs which are being sold at moderate prices.

The Daughters of America will celebrate their 10th anniversary tonight at their hall on south Fairfax street.

Miss Daisy Griffin, employed at the Belle Pre Bottle Works, cut one of her feet seriously yesterday.

Oysters fried, stewed or raw. Dining room open on Sunday during oyster season. C. H. Zimmerman, Market Space. feb 26tf

Dr. Powell's Report.

ALEXANDRIA HOSPITAL,
Alexandria, Va., Dec. 13, 1906

To the Board of Lady Managers:

I have the honor to submit the following report of cases treated in the hospital during my term of service as attending physician: On September 1, beginning my term, I found 15 patients in the hospital. Since then 73 patients have been admitted, making a total of 88 patients treated during the term. Of these 88 patients 75 (or 85 per cent.) were discharged cured; 2 died and 11 remain under treatment at the close of the term on December 1. It gives me pleasure to add that I have had such courteous and efficient co-operation from the superintendent and nursing staff that my term of service has been made a most agreeable experience.

Respectfully submitted,
LLEWELLYN POWELL, M. D.,
Attending Physician.

Open the bowels—DeWitt's Little Early Risers are recommended and sold by W. F. Creighton & Co., 401 King street.

Change of Freight Depot.

On Monday, December 31, 1906, the local freight depot of the Washington-Southern Railway will be transferred temporarily until further notice to Cameron and Henry streets, Alexandria, from the new building at the Union Depot at West End. The present depot will be closed on Saturday night, December 29, after which time all local freight will be received at and delivered from the Henry street depot. Bell telephone No. 278; Capital City No. 33. dec14 3t.

DRESSED TURKEYS 18c POUND.

Dressed Chickens, 15c lb.; Country Butter 25c lb.; Eggs, 30c dozen; 3 Cans Tomatoes, 25c; 4 Cans Corn, 25c; 8 lbs. Buckwheat, 25c; Potatoes 69c bushel.

WM. P. WOOLLS & SON.
Royal and Wolfe streets.

THE WHISKY OF OUR FOREFATHERS,

Continental Pure Rye, 75c full quart, 38c a pint; Overholt, bottled in bond, and Paul Jones Pure Rye, 90c full quart; Port, Sherry, Catawba and Claret, 25c a quart. All the leading brands of fine wines and liquors for family trade. 'Phone 85 or drop postal.

HARLOW BROTHERS,
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NOTICE.

Prepare for War in time of Peace. Coal is Comfort. We are delivering the very best grades of Clean Newly mined Coal at bottom market price. 2,240 lbs. to the ton, promptly delivered by.

DeWILTON AITCHESON,
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"It's hot stuff alright," said one of our customers, when he tried a bottle a bottle of Blondheim & Swift's prepared horseradish. Sufficient.

DON'T FORGET TO BUY YOUR HOLIDAY SUPPLY OF

FRUIT, POUND and JELLY CAKES.

Also All Kinds of Fancy Cakes, Ice Cream, Nuts, &c. Our quality is well known.

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615 KING STREET.
Bell 'Phone 181. Capital City 156-m.

PITTED CHERRIES and PLUMS. EVAPORATED BLACK BERRIES

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GET IT AT DIENELT'S

Your DRUGS AND PRESCRIPTIONS compounded at all times by Registered Pharmacists only.

A full line of LOWNEY'S CANDIES in Christmas boxes and baskets.

A fine assortment of PERFUMES in cut glass bottles.

A new stock of FANCY PIPES and Christmas boxes of fine CIGARS.

Dienelt's Pharmacy,
1113 KING STREET.

CHERRY COUGH CURE—A safe, pleasant and effectual remedy for Coughs, Cold and all affections of the throat and lungs. Contains no morphine or other injurious chemicals Price, 25c. For sale by E. S. LEADBEATER & SONS.

Curtice Brothers SAP MAPLE SYRUP Blue Label CATSUP, ASSORTED JAMS and BAKED BEANS just received by J. C. MILBURN.

Pure dark BUCKWHEAT FLOUR, new crop, just received by J. C. MILBURN

CHOICE HEAD RICE, new crop, just received by J. C. MILBURN.

NEW CLEANED CURRANTS and SEEDED RAISINS just received by J. C. MILBURN.

5c for GRAFULATED SUGAR—FINEST GRANULATED SUGAR 5c, at J. C. MILBURN.

CHINA, GLASS AND HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS.

ELLIOTT'S,

Cor. Pitt and King Sts.

Open Evenings Until Christmas.

DOLLS.

Something doing in Dolls at this store.

"Miss Alice," a lovely jointed doll, 22 inches tall, shoes and stocking. Price $1.00.

"Ethel," a younger sister, also a jointed doll, at 50c.

Coupon.

Present this coupon and 69c to any saleslady in our toy department and receive a Toy Skin Cow with bellows attachment. Regular price $1.00.

Coupon.

This coupon is worth 52c. Present this coupon and $1.98 to any saleslady in toy department and receive one of the celebrated Storm King Flexible Flyer Sleds worth $2.50.

Coupon.

Present this coupon and 39c to any saleslady in our toy department and receive a Doll's Bed, white enameled with gilt knobs. Worth 50c.

HOLIDAY GOODS.

During All Next Week a Special Sale of DOLLS

will take place in the BEAUTIFUL GARDEN OF TOYS. Positively there will be bargains.

Mechanical Toys.

The most complete line of these toys ever offered in this city. Drums, Horns, Wagons, Velocipedes, Bicycles, Tricycles, Wheelbarrows, Air Rifles, Pop Guns, &c.

Stationery and Books

In our line cannot be surpassed. Stationery, in Xmas Boxes, a beautiful package. Bibles, Testaments, Catholic Prayer Books, Hymn Books and all the recent copyrights.

Leather Goods

In burnt and plain leather, Pocket Books, Card Cases, &c.

Cigars and Pipes.

A present that is appreciated. We have them—a line that cannot be surpassed.

R. E. KNIGHT

621-25 King Street.

WATCHES AND JEWELRY.

Discriminating Buyers

Of the good, useful and beautiful, will find a host of suggestions here.

Fine Diamond Jewelry, Reliable Watches, Sterling Silver and Silver Plate, Rich Cut Glass, Hand Painted China, Reliable Clocks and Umbrellas with silver, gold, pearl and natural wood handles.

Special Xmas Watches.

Ladies' gold 14-kt. Hunting Watch, our special movement,

$18.00.

Men's 20-year filled case, our special movement,

$11.50.

Our dependable guarantee with every watch.

R. C. Acton & Sons

Jewelers and Silversmiths.

Selected Turkeys.

Do not allow yourself to be deceived when purchasing your Christmas Turkey. If you do your dinner will be disappointing. We appreciate the fact that you depend on the dealer to sell you fresh good and we will be able to supply you with the best turkeys obtainable, selected by us on the hoof, and dressed especially for this store. Our orders are already very heavy and our stock of four thousand pounds will be sold, but we desire that you get your order in as early as possible so we may select yours, deliver it to you early and get them out of the way of our fruit business.

FLORIDA ORANGES.

We wish to call your attention to our Florida Special Oranges, which we consider the sweetest orange in the city.

American Fruit Store,

J. M. Pettit, Jr.,

FRUIT SPECIALIST,
Bell 'Phone 200. 717 KING ST.

NONICE.

Commencing Monday, Dec. 17, Rosenfeld's Store will stay open until 10 p. m, until after Christmas.

OTTERBURN LITHIA WATER.—This water is indicated in all affections due to Uric Acid, Diathesis, Gout, Rheumatism Stone in the Bladder, Kidneys or Liver Bright's Disease and Kidney Diseases every form For sale by WARFIELD & HALL,
Sole Agents Cor. Prince & Fairfax Sts

Genuine ARABIAN MOCHA COFFEE just received by J. C. MILBURN

REAL ESTATE.

For Sale.

Two six-room frame cottages on Mount Vernon avenue, Del Ray, with all improvements. Price of each $2,200.

Six-room cottage, modern improvements, on Commerce near King. $300 cash; balance $15 per month.

Nine room brick dwelling, south Lee, near Wilkes; $1,500.

Six room brick dwelling, 822 N. Columbus; $1,500.

Seven room cottage; one half acre of land, barn, water in kitchen, at Braddock Heights; $3,000. (Terms $500 cash; balance $25 per month.)

M. B. Harlow & Co., Inc

Real Estate, Loans and Insurance,

119 South Fairfax Street, Alexandria, Va.

REAL ESTATE.

For Sale.

Desirable two story Brick Dwelling at northwest corner of St. Asaph and Queen streets, containing 10 rooms and basement.

Nearly new Five Room Frame Dwelling on King street road about half a mile from Alexandria, with over a half acre of land and good barn.

Three two story Frame Dwellings 908, 910 and 912 Wolfe street. Well rented.

JOHN D. NORMOYLE

Room 3, Alexandria Nat'l Bank Bldg.
N. E. Cor. King and Royal Streets.
Bell 'Phones 224. Capital City 'Phone 124

AMUSEMENTS.

OPERA HOUSE.



CONCERT

FOR THE BENEFIT OF

ST. MARY'S PARSONAGE,

By MISS IRENE A. DIETERICH, assisted by MISS OLIVE DEMAREST, of Washington, and others of note.

FRIDAY, DEC. 14

ADMISSION, ... 50c and 25c
dec10 5t

FOR SALE AND RENT.

FOR SALE.—FINE HOME in Alexandria. An ideal location for a seminary, small school or dwelling. A large and substantially built house, in good repair, containing 18 to 20 rooms, with modern improvements and spacious lawns on each side of house. Located in one of the best residential sections of the city. Further information of JOHN D. NORMOYLE, Corner King and Royal streets. dec3 3t

FOR SALE.—A MOQUET CARPET in good condition, with border, 21x14 feet. Call at 424 north Washington street. dec12 3t

FOR RENT.—No. 310 south St. Asaph street, 9 ROOMS, modern improvements, price, $16 per month. W. P. WOOLLS & SON, Wolfe and Royal streets. dec11 tf

FOR RENT.—A BRICK DWELLING, No. 820 north Columbus street, six rooms, all nicely papered, $11 per month, inclusive water supply. Key at 313 King street. dec12 tf

FOR RENT.—BRICK DWELLING No. 619 south Lee street. Large side and back yard. For information apply at this office. no29 tf

FOR RENT.—On easy terms near Mt. Vernon, a ten-acre TRUCK FARM; new six-room dwelling and barn. Apply to J. & H. AITCHESON, Alexandria, Va.

FOR RENT.—LARGE FRONT ROOM, furnished. Southern exposure. Apply at 723 King street. dec13 3t

POTOMAC FLOUR, choice, for sale at 35c for 12 pound sack. J. C. MILBURN

Christmas Ties.

LARGE AND HANDSOME LINE.

At 2c—The prettiest we have ever had.

At 33c—In handsome box.

At 50c—Very choice and as handsome as sell at much higher price.

Also pretty line of Handkerchiefs, Umbrellas, &c.

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The Pure Rye Whisky. Its purity and age are unquestioned, its flavor and bouquet unsurpassed. Complete stock of

Rye Whiskies, Malt Whiskies, Bourbon Whiskies, Corn Whiskies, Wines. Rums. Brandies. Cordials.

Place your orders now for the Holidays:

BOTH 'PHONES. PROMPT DELIVERY.

EDWARD QUINN & SONS,

503 North St. Asaph Street, Alexandria, Va.

Watches and Jewelry.

Select your Xmas presents now and let us deliver them when most convenient to you.

OUR SPECIAL WATCHES:

Ladies' 14-k Solid Gold Watches, Open Face or Hunting, Waltham or Elgin Movement, $19.00.

Gents' 20-year Gold Filled Watches. $9.00. With Waltham or Elgin Movement, $11.75.

Every watch carries our special guarantee backed by that of the manufacturers.

We also have a large stock of Bracelets, in signet, locket, plain and chased; Lockets, Chains, Scarf Pins, Brooches, Cuff Buttons, Shirt Studs, Watch Chains, Fobs, Set Rings, Signet Rings and Plain Rings, Cuff Pins, Fountain Pens, Silverware in sterling silver and plated and Cut Glass. ALL ENGRAVING DONE FREE.

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GROCERIES.

Ramsay Sells the Best.

BEST Mixed Nuts ALL NEW 18c

Gran. Sugar, 5c

RAMSAY'S.

5 Barrels Fancy Cape Cod Cranberries, G. Wm. Ramsay.

125 Dozen FRESH EGGS Just Received. G. Wm. Ramsay.

25 Boxes. Imported Cluster Raisins all Fine Fruit, Some Very Fancy. G. Wm. Ramsay.

Atmore's Best Mince Meat. Atmore's 1 lb. Puddings, 20c. Curtice Bro's. Plum Puddings, all sizes. G. Wm. Ramsay.

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AND ONE THAT WILL BE APPRECIATED IS A

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SELECT NORFOLK OYSTERS AT THE ELKTON.

We are handling nothing but select Norfolks. Both 'phones. Telephone orders receive prompt attention. sep28 tf

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Turkeys, Chickens, Ducks and Game always on Hand.

Cauliflower, Spinnach, Celery, Lettuce, &c.

Beef, Veal, Pork Lamb, Mutton,

Pudding, Sausages and All Kinds of Pork Products Always Cheaper Than Others.

Best Potatoes, 65c bushel.
Best Flour---Table Belle, $4.50 barrel.
Best Flour---Senator, $4.50 barrel.
Best Granulated Sugar, 5c pound.
Best Lard, 12c pound.
Best Mixed Nuts, 12½c lb.
10 lbs. Good Lard, $1.00.
Chase & Sanborn Coffee, the talk of town, 22c lb.
Agents Elk Grove Butter.
Apples, $2.50 to $3 barrel.
Florida Oranges.
Malaga Grapes.
Seeded Raisins, Currants.
French Candy, 6c lb and up
Chocolate Creams, 12c pound up.
Imported, Switzer, Roquefort, Edam and Limburger Cheese.

Buy from first hands and save the small dealer's profit.

Country Orders Promply Filled

dec3 3w

WANTED.

WANTED.—Several more BOARDERS at 517 Cameron street. dec12 3t

BOARDERS WANTED.—Two more well-furnished, steam-heated rooms, with board; gentlemen only. Address X, this office. dec13 3t.

1½ TONS NEW NUTS

JUST RECEIVED
LEAVE YOUR ORDERS FOR XMAS CAKES.

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Bell 'Phone No. 207. Cor. King and Pitt Sts.

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Gloves.

P. Centemere & Co. Brand, the best Kid Glove on the market in the following shades: tan, black, white and gray, ranging in price from $1.25 to $1.75. Twelve-button Length Black Mosquitaire Kid Gloves in all sizes.

Special price $3.00
Ladies' Tan Cape Walking Gloves $1.25
" All-Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs ..... 5c each.
" Mourning Handkerchiefs ..... 5c "
" Fine Swiss Embroidered Handkerchiefs ..... 10c "
" " " " " 15c "
" All Pure Linen " " 15c "
" " " " " 25c "
" " " " boxed, 3 to the box, for ..... $1.00 per box.
" " " " 3 to the box, very fine .. $1.50 " "
Men's Jap Silk Handkerchiefs ..... 50c, 75c, and $1.00 each
" Silk Mufflers; all colors ..... 50c to $3.00 "
Suit Cases and Hand Bags for both Men and Women.
Suit Cases ranging in price from ..... 98c to $13.50
Hand Bags " " " " 48c to $9.00
Tray Covers, Center Pieces, Table Covers. You couldn't please a house keeper more than to give her one of the above articles. All prices from 25c up to $8.00.
$1.50 Silkaline Comforts filled with white cotton, special $1 29
$3.50 Marseilles White Spreads $2.79
$2.50 " " " $1.98
$5.00 11-4 All-wool Blankets, pink and blue borders, special $4 25
Men's Ties in the most beautiful styles and colors, 25, 50, and 75c each
Men's Gloves ..... $1 25, $1.50 and $1.75
Men's Combination Box, containing a pair of suspenders, arm bands, and hose supporters ..... 75c and $1.00
Men's Pajamas ..... $1.50 and $2.00
Bath Robes $5.00
Ladies' Black Silk Lisle Hose ..... 25c pair
Ladies' Interwoven Heel and Toe Highly Mercerized Hose, 35c per pair
Men's Imported Black Cotton ½ Hose ..... 15c pair
Rugs an Ideal Gift.
18-inch All-wool Smyrna Rugs ..... $ .98
21-inch " " " 1 29
26-inch " " " 1.79
30-inch " " " 1.98
36-inch " " " 2.98
27-inch Axminster Rugs 2.25
36-inch " " 3 75
$27.50 9x12 feet Axminster Druggets, special $21.75
7.50 9x9 feet Ingrain Druggets, special $6.75
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Alexandria Gazette.

FR'DAY EVENING, DEC. 14, 1906.

Tried to Lynch Hooe.

More than 1,000 excited men and women besieged the door of the Allegheny county, Pa., jail yesterday afternoon and clamored for the life of Clifford Hooe, the negro coachman for Augustus Hartje, the millionaire paper manufacturer, convicted of perjured testimony in swearing he had criminal relations with his employer's wife.

When Hooe heard the yells of the crowd he fell back limply into a chair, wept and begged for protection. A strong force of policemen was summoned and the crowd beaten back, while Hooe was taken to the penitentiary in a patrol wagon.

Hooe was yesterday refused a new trial and sentenced by Judge Robert S. Frazer to pay a fine of $50 and the costs of the court trial and to be imprisoned six years in the Western penitentiary of Pennsylvania. One of Hooe's counsel said an appeal would be taken.

Attorneys for Augustus Hartje will at once take up the matter of an appeal to the Superior Court, which meets in April, from the decision handed down by Judge Frazer Wednesday, in which a divorce was refused Hartje. The appeal will be based on the fact that the letters which figured in the suit were not proved forgeries, and therefore must be genuine.

For chapped and cracked hands get DeWitt's Witch Hazel salve. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co., 401 King street.

Their Resignations Accepted.

Major Cheatwood, Captain Bowles, Captain Burwell, Lieutenant and Adjutant Hubson and Lieutenant Eppes are no longer connected with the Richmond Light Infantry Blues Battalion. Their resignations, forwarded several months ago, were Tuesday put before the Governor, who accepted all of them. The resignations will take effect from this date.

Lieutenant Hazen is directed to take charge of the battalion.

By order of the Governor, Lieutenant Hazen will hold an election to fill the vacancies within 30 days. It is understood that the two captains will be re-elected. When the resignations were forwarded by Major Cheatwood they bore his indorsement that they be not accepted. At the same time his resignation went to the Governor.

The trouble took shape during a recent visit of the battalion to Baltimore, when an officer and private engaged in an altercation on the train as the result of a reprimand by the office in a theatre and in presence of ladies, which the private considered unjust.

Death From Lockjaw

never follows an injury dressed with Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Its antiseptic and healing properties prevent blood poisoning. Chas. Oswald, merchant, of Rensselaersville, N. Y., writes: "It cured Seth Burch, of this place of the ugliest sore on his neck I ever saw." Cures Cuts, Wounds, Burns and Sores. 25c at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store.

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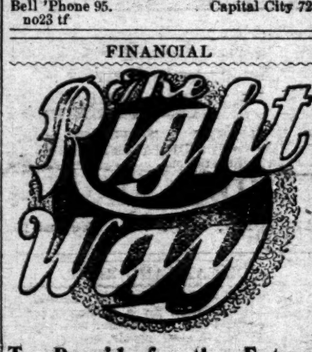


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AUCTION SALES.

SALE OF PROPERTY FOR NON-PAYMENT OF CITY TAXES.

Under the following resolution passed by the City Council, Tuesday, October 9, 1906, I will sell at public auction on MONDAY, December 17, 1906, in front of the Market Building, Royal street, Alexandria, Va., the following

LOTS AND IMPROVEMENTS

thereon, or as much thereof as may be necessary to pay and satisfy the taxes, assessments, or charges due to the City Council of Alexandria on the same,

Resolved, That the Collector of Taxes be and he is hereby directed to proceed and sell at public auction all real estate in the city of Alexandria, on which taxes are due and unpaid to June 1, 1906, in conformity to the City Charter and laws relating to the same, said sale to commence Monday, December 17, 1906, at 10 o'clock a. m., and continue from time to time and from day to day until all such real estate is sold.

The purchasers will be required to pay at the time of sale the taxes, assessments, charges and expenses of sale. The proprietor or proprietors of such lots, his or their heirs, representatives or agents may, within two years from the day of sale, pay to the purchaser thereof, or to the City Treasurer, the money paid for such taxes, charges and expenses as aforesaid, with six per cent. per annum as interest thereon, or make a tender of the same, in which event he shall be reinstated in his original title. If no such payment or tender be made within two years next after the sale, the purchaser will be required to pay the remainder of the purchase money into the City Council where it will remain, subject to the order of the proprietor or his legal representative; and the purchaser, on the payment of the whole amount of the purchase money, will receive a title to the said lot or lots, or such parts thereof, in fee simple, from the Auditor.

The sale will commence at 10 o'clock a. m. on the day specified, and if not completed on that day, will be continued from day to day and from time to time until completed.

P. F. GORMAN,
Collector of Taxes.

FIRST WARD.

Pope Ashton's estate lot 706 s Lee st, 1903, '04, '05, $4.50.

Sandy Henry's estate house and lot 103 Franklin st, 1904, '05, $4.53.

C McLean's heirs one quarter square ground s w cor Lee and Church sts, 1902, '03, '04, '05, $15.90.

C McLean's heirs lot east side Lee between Church and South sts, 1902, '03, '04, '05, $6.00.

Ruben Payne house and lot Potomac st between Jefferson and Franklin sts, 1904, '05, $4.06.

SECOND WARD.

Chas Baker's estate house and lot 520 n Royal st, 1902, '03, '04, '05, $13.10.

Mrs Betsie Brown house and lot 327 First st, 11.05, $2.00.

Mrs Charlotte Campbell's estate house and lot 406 Oronoco st, 1905, $2.00.

James Knight house and lot First st, between Fairfax and Royal sts, 1905, $2.03.

THIRD WARD.

Chas Baker's estate house and lot 227 Commerce st, 1900 to 1905, $20.88.

Chas Baker's estate house and lot 229 Commerce st, 1900 to 1905, $20.70.

Chas Baker's estate house and lot 1116 Princess st 1900 to 1905, $24.22.

Chas E W Brown house and lot Fayette st, between Wythe and Madison sts, 1904, '05, $5.69.

Frederick Didszoneit house and lot 512 Cameron st, 1903, '04, '05, $79.28.

E B Freeland house and two lots s w cor Washington and Madison sts, 1905, $24.44.

Mrs Emma E Gaines house and lot 119 n Henry st, 1901, '02, '04, '05, $14.52.

Mrs Elizabeth B Green house and lot 1010 Princess st, 1901, '02, '04, '05, $14.77.

Geo F Keegan two lots s w cor Payne and Wythe sts, 1903, 1904, 05, $6.02.

Wallace Lee's estate, house and lot 320 n Henry st, 1905, $4.99.

Mrs Alice P Lockwood house and lot 1024 Wythe st, 1903, '05, $12.70.

Mrs Hattie Luckett Diggs house and lot 320 n Alfred st, 1904, '05, $20.76.

Mrs Violet Nelson's estate house and lot 225 n West st, 1900 to 1905, $16.85.

H D B Norris two lots Madison st between Washington and St Asaph sts, 1900 to 1905, $13.44.

J F Pinkney's estate house and lot 217 Commerce st, 1905, $4.99.

Mrs Serah E Simmes lot 514 Pendleton st, 1896 to 1905, $24.68.

Mrs F A M Smith three lots 503-5-7 n Alfred st, 1902, '03, '04, '05, $35.00.

Mrs F A M Smith lot 402 n Alfred st, 1902, '03, '04 '05, $26.22.

Burr Tracey house and lot 1022 Wythe st, 1903, '04, '05, $19.04

H C Wallace lot St Asaph st, between Wythe and Madison, 1900 to 1905, $5.29.

Lawrence Washington two lots St Asaph st, between Wythe and Madison sts, 1900 to 1905, $7.98

Jas D Webster one-half square ground West, line, Oronoco and Pendleton sts, 1905, $19.95.

Jas D Webster one-half square ground West, line, Pendleton and Wythe sts, 1905, $9.99.

Mrs L E Williams house and lot 1011 Princess st, 1904, '05, $8.68.

FOURTH WARD.

Chas Baker's estate house and two lots 213-13½ s Fayette st, 1900 to 1905, $56.86.

Mrs Mary V Brawner house and lot 1452 Duke st, 1905, $6.11.

Mrs Jane Brown house and lot 809 Wilkes st, 1904, '05, $7 98.

Mrs Elizabeth B Green one-quarter square ground s e cor Wilkes and Columbus sts, 1901, '02, '04, '05, $71.49.

Wm Hammond house and lot 433 s Columbus st, 1905, $5.98.

Edward M Jones house and lot 811 Wilkes st, 1904, '05, $8.51.

Wm P Lockwood house and lot 430 s Columbus st, 1904, '05, $12.45.

Mrs Alice P Lockwood house and lot 225 s West st, 1903, '04, '05, $12.84.

Wm Miller house and lot 322 s Henry s., 1905, $10.50.

Louis A Nalls house and two lots 517-17½ s Alfred st, 1904, '05, $34.61.

Mrs Mary J Parker et als house and lot 609 s Alfred st, 1905, $5.99.

Mrs Eliza A Seaton house and three lots 609-11-13 s St Asaph st, 1901 to 1905, $89.37.

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AUCTION SALES.

Samuel H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE OWNERS, the following described real estate, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, will be offered for sale at public auction, on

SATURDAY,
the 15th day of December, 1906,
at twelve o'clock M. in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market Building in the said city.

First. All the TENEMENT AND LOT OF GROUND on the west side of Henry street, at the north line of a ten-foot alley, one hundred and ten feet north of Prince street, and running thence north and fronting on Henry street, twenty-five feet; thence west, parallel to Prince street, one hundred and twenty-five feet, more or less, to an alley; thence south, parallel to Henry street, twenty-five feet to the first named alley, and thence east, parallel to Prince street, one hundred and twenty-five feet, more or less, to Henry street, the place of beginning, with all appurtenances.

Second. All that LOT OF GROUND AND IMPROVEMENTS THEREON, on the east side of Fayette street, between King and Prince streets, beginning on the east side of Fayette street at the north line of Watkins and running thence north on Fayette street, twenty-two feet; thence east, parallel to Prince street, one hundred and twenty-three feet, more or less, to an alley; thence south, parallel to Fayette street, twenty two feet; thence west, parallel to Prince street, one hundred and twenty-three feet, more or less, to the place of beginning.

Third. A LOT OF GROUND AND IMPROVEMENTS on the east side of Fayette street, next adjoining on the north the lot of ground above described; thence north on Fayette street, twenty-two feet; thence east, parallel to Prince street, one hundred and twelve feet, more or less, to an alley; thence south, parallel to Fayette street, twenty-two feet; thence west, parallel to Prince street, one hundred and twelve feet, more or less, to Fayette street, the place of beginning, together with all rights and appurtenances.

Fourth. Beginning on the east side of West street, seventy-four feet seven inches south of Queen street, and running thence south on West street twelve feet; thence east, parallel with Queen street, one hundred and thirteen feet five inches to a ten-foot alley; thence north on said alley twelve feet; and thence west in a direct line, one hundred and thirteen feet five inches, to the point of beginning, with the use of said alley, together with the DWELLING HOUSE AND IMPROVEMENTS THEREON.

Fifth. A FRAME HOUSE AND LOT beginning on the east side of West street, twenty-six feet seven inches south of Queen street; thence south on West street twelve feet; thence east, parallel with Queen street, one hundred and thirty feet, five inches, to a ten-foot alley; thence north on said alley twelve feet; thence west to the place of beginning with the use of the said alley.

Sixth. HOUSE AND LOT adjoining the above on the south, beginning on the east side of West street, thirty-eight feet seven inches south on Queen street; thence south on West street twelve feet; thence east, parallel with Queen street, one hundred and thirteen feet five inches, to a ten-foot alley; thence north on said alley twelve feet; thence west to the place of beginning, with the use of said alley.

Terms of sale cash.
dec11 td

By R. F. Knox, Auctioneer.

BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE OF THE Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, rendered December 6, 1906, in the chancery cause of Eliza Hammersley against William E. Hammersley and others, the undersigned will sell at public auction in front of the Royal street entrance to the market building, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, at 12 o'clock m. on

SATURDAY
the 22nd day of December, 1906,
the following real estate situated in the said city, to wit:

1. A lot of ground with brick store and two dwellings thereon, situated on the north side of Cameron street and east side of Henry street; the said lot running eastwardly from Henry street and fronting on Cameron street 37 feet, more or less, to the west line of an alley four feet wide, and extending northwardly in depth and fronting on Henry street 51 feet, 5 inches, to an alley three feet wide, together with the right of way over said alley in common with others entitled thereto.

2. A LOT OF GROUND WITH FRAME DWELLING THEREON, situated on the north side of Cameron street 37 feet, more or less, east of Henry street, and at the west line of an alley four feet wide; and running eastwardly an Cameron street and fronting thereon 13 feet, more or less, to a point 50 feet east of Henry street, and running northwardly in depth 51 feet 5 inches, to an alley three feet wide, together with the right of way over the said alleys in common with others entitled thereto.

3. A LOT OF GROUND WITH FRAME DWELLING THEREON, on the south side of Cameron street, 123 feet 5 inches east of Fayette street, and running eastwardly and fronting on Cameron street 15 feet; and running southwardly in depth 100 feet to a court with the right of way over the said court and an alley 3 feet 5 inches wide lying on the west side of the lot above described.

4. A LOT OF GROUND lying on the court above mentioned and south of the lot last above described, with stable and other improvements thereon supposed to be in front on said court 28 feet and 30 feet in depth.

Terms of Sale—One-third in cash on the day of sale and the residue in two equal instalments at six and twelve months from the date of sale; the deferred instalments to bear interest at 6 per cent. per annum from date of sale until paid, to be evidenced by the notes of the purchasers and the title to be retained until the full payment of the purchase money. The purchasers may pay all cash if they so desire. Conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser or purchasers.

JAMES R. CATON,
JOHN M. JOHNSON,
DOUGLASS STUART,
GARDNER L. BOOTHE,
Commissioners of Sale.

I certify that bond has been given in the penalty of seven thousand dollars, with approved surety, as required by the above mentioned decree.

CHARLES BENDHEIM, Clerk,
By NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, D. C.
dec11 td

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Silk Suspenders,
Windsor Ties,
Fancy Stand Covers,
Ladies' Sweaters,
Men's Sweaters,
Umbrellas,
Tapestry Portieres,
Tapestry Couch Covers,
Tapestry Table Covers,
Lace Curtains,
Blankets,
Comforts,
White Spreads,
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MEETINGS.

NOTICE.—THE ANNUAL MEETING of Stockholders of the CHARLOTTESVILLE AND RAPIDAN RAILWAY COMPANY will be held at the banking house of Burke & Herbert, Alexandria, Virginia, on WEDNESDAY, December 19, 1906, at ten o'clock a. m. for the purpose of electing directors and transacting such other business as may come before the meeting.
R. D. LANKFORD, Secretary.
dec4 td

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the LINWOOD HEIGHTS REALTY CORPORATION will be held at the offices of said Corporation, No. 128 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on MONDAY, December 17, 1906, at 3 o'clock p. m.
GEORGE W. RICKETT, Secretary.
dec3 td

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the GEORGE W. KNOX EXPRESS CO. will be held at its principal office, 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, at 10 o'clock a. m., THURSDAY, January 3rd, 1907.
J. E. D. GITTINGS, Secretary.
dec8 td

THE REGULAR ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the ALEXANDRIA NATIONAL BANK will be held in the office of said banking house, corner King and Royal streets, Alexandria, Va., between the hours of 11 a. m. and 1 p. m., TUESDAY, January 8th, 1907, for the purpose of electing a board of directors and the consideration of any other matters that may properly come before the stockholders.
T. C. SMITH, Cashier.
dec8 td

CITIZENS' NATIONAL BANK,
Alexandria, Va.
The annual meeting of the stockholders of this bank for the election of directors for the ensuing year will be held at its banking house on TUESDAY, January 8, 1907, from the hours of 12 noon to 1 p. m. inclusive.
W. F. LAMBETH, Cashier.
dec8 2aw td

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK,
Alexandria, Va., December 11th, 1906.
The annual meeting for the election of directors of this bank, will be held at the banking house on TUESDAY, January 8th, 1907, between the hours of twelve and one o'clock.
CHAS. R. HOOFF, President.
dec12 td

LEGAL NOTICES.

CHARLOTTESVILLE AND RAPIDAN RAILROAD COMPANY.
Alexandria, Va., Dec. 1, 1906.
To the holders of the Charlottesville and Rapidan Railroad Bonds: The following bonds drawn for redemption by lot, in accordance with the terms of the mortgage, will be paid at the office of the Philadelphia Trust, Safe Deposit and Insurance Company, Philadelphia, Pa., with accrued interest, on JANUARY 1, 1907. Interest on said bonds will cease January 1, 1907.
Nos. 8, 22, 24, 58, 120, 130, 140, 174, 185, 188, 192, for $1,000 each—$11,000.
Nos. 253, 279, 288, 339, 344, 365, 442, 474, 475, 476, 521, 524, 532, 536, 609, 616, 629, 635, 681, 712, 720, for $500 each—$10,500.
Nos. 734, 753, 770, 823, for $100 each—$400.
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RAILROADS

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Trains leave Union Station Alexandria.
In Effect October 14, 1906.

N. B—Following schedule figures published only as information, and are not guaranteed.

7:52 A. M.—Daily—Local for Harrisonburg Warrenton, Danville and way stations.

11:08 A. M.—Washington and Florida limited. Sleeping cars between New York and Jacksonville. Through first-class coaches between Washington and Jacksonville. Dining car service between Washington and Columbia.

11:32 A. M.—Daily—U. S. Fast Mail. First class coaches and drawing room sleeper to New Orleans. Dining car service.

4:18 P. M.—Week Days—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations on Manassas branch.

5:12 P. M.—Daily—Local for Warrenton and Charlottesville.

7:47 P. M.—Daily—New York and Atlanta Express—First class coach to Atlanta; sleeper to Columbus, Ga. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays Sunset Route Tourist sleeper Washington to San Francisco.

10:07 P. M., No. 33—Daily—New York and Florida Express. Through coaches and sleepers to Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville. Sleepers to Augusta and Port Tampa. Dining car service a la carte.

10:17 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg). First class coach and sleeping car to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga and Memphis. Sleeper to Birmingham and New Orleans. Washington to Roanoke. Dining car service.

11:02 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Southwestern Limited. All Pullman train, club car to Atlanta, observation cars to Atlanta, Macon. Sleepers to Nashville, Atlanta, Macon, Birmingham and New Orleans. Dining car service.

Through trains from the South arrive at Alexandria 6:19, 6:35, 9 33 and 10.48 A. M. and 2:43, 9:13 and 9:33 P. M. daily. Harrisonburg 11:38 A. M. week days and 9:03 P. M. daily. From Charlottesville 7:53 A. M. and from Lynchburg 9:03 P. M. daily.

TRAINS ON BLUEMONT BRANCH.

Leave Alexandria (W. & O. Station) 8:21 A M., 1:40 and 4:53 P. M. week days for Bluemont; 6:37 P. M. for Leesburg; 9:16 A. M. and 4:53 P. M. on Sundays only for Bluemont.

For detailed schedule figures, tickets, Pullman reservation, etc., apply to WILLIAM G LEHEW, ticket agent, Alexandria, Va.
C. H. ACKERT, 4th Vice Pres. and Gen. Mgr.
S. H. HARDWICK, Pass. Traf. Mgr.
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L. S. BROWN, General Agent.
Washington, D. C.

Washington Southern Ry
Schedule in effect Nov. 25, 1906.

Trains leave Union Station for Washington and points north at 8 01, 9 53 and 12 01 a. m. 2 53, 7 07, 8 18, and 11 33 p. m., week days.

Sundays—9 53 a. m., 12 01, 7 07, 8 18 and 11 33 p. m.

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Sundays—4 48 and 11 05 a. m., 4 00, 5 07 (local), and 6 41 p. m.

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